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YOU KISSED ME

BY JOSEPHINE S. HUNT

The following exquisite poem was written in 1867, when the author was a young lady under twenty. Whittier, the poet, wrote of it and its young author, that she had truly mastered the secret of English verse:

You kissed me! my head
Dropped low on your breast,
With a feeling of shelter
And infinite rest:
While the holy emotions
My tongue dare not speak,
Flashed up in a flame
From my heart to my cheek.
Your arms held me fast—
Oh, your arms were so bold!
Heart beat against heart
In your passionate fold.
Your glances seemed drawing
My soul through my eyes,
As the sun draws the mist
From seas to the skies.
Your lips clung to mine
Till I prayed in bliss,
They might never unclasp
From the rapturous kiss.

You kissed me! my heart,
And my breath, and my will,
In delirious joy,
For a moment still.
Life had for me then
No temptations, no charms,
No vision of happiness
Outside of your arms.
And were I this instant
An angel, possessed
Of the peace and the joy
That are given the blest,
I would fling my white robes
Unrepentingly down,
I would tear from my forehead
Its beautiful crown,
To nestle once more
In that haven of rest,
Your lips upon mine,
My head on your breast!

You kissed me! my soul,
In a bliss so divine,
Reeled and swooned like a drunken [man
Foolish with wine;
And I thought 'twere delicious
To die there, if death
Would but come while my lips
Were yet moist with your breath;
If my heart might grow cold
While your arms clasped me round
In their passionate fold.
And these are the questions
I ask day and night:
Must my lips taste no more
Such exquisite delight?
Would you care if your breast
Were my shelter as then,
And if you were here,
Would you kiss me again?

MARYLAND HAPPENING

A circuit Court jury at Elkton has awarded $4000 damages to Mrs. William L. Hand, of Harve de Grace, in a suit for personal injuries against the Philadelphia Baltimore & Washington Railroad Company.

The State will hold in custody until the Grand Jury meets at Elkton in December William Hoops and John Holland, the negro suspects in the Constable murder mystery.

The Delaware Surburban Railway Company has applied for a trolley franchise in Elkton in order to continue its lines from Newark.

Samuel Simpson, a liveryman, of North East, claims the horse and buggy found in Elkton Thursday. It was hired by a man named Kirk, of Rising Sun, who has been located.

For stealing a pair of trousers James Hill, colored, of Havre de Grace, was sentenced in Elkton Court last week to 18 months in the Penitentiary.

George Harris, the 7-year-old son of Captain George Harris, fell from the steamer Corsica, at Centreville, breaking his left arm.

The County Commissioners of Queen Anne's are completing plans for the permanent improvement of seven miles of road under direction of the Maryland Highway Division.

Harry Quinn, of Pittsburg, who was released from Elkton Jail a few days ago, where he was held on a larceny charge, is believed to have drowned himself in in the Susquehanna River, as his clothing was found on the railroad bridge at Perryville.

HE FAVORS LIMITED MARRIAGES

A "silly season" newspaper discussion of the marriage question has provoked a remarkable statement of opinion from the novelist, George Meredith. He predicts a change in the legal conditions of marriage and foreshadows a state of society permitting marriages for certain limited periods, the state compelling a provision of money during that period to provide for and educate children, the government possibly having charge of this fund. Mr. Meredith says:

"There will be a devil of an uproar before such a change can be made. It will be a great shock, but look back and see what shocks there have been and what changes have nevertheless occurred in the marriage business in the past."

Mr. Meredith foresees great difficulty in English conservatism, notably revealed in criticism of America "indicating the Englishman's persistency in regarding any new trait as a sign of disease." "Yet," Mr. Meredith says, "it is a sign of health, and I am very glad if any words of mine can help air the subject."

A PRIZE

The only son had just announced to the family his engagement.

Mommer—What, that girl! Why, she squints.

Sister—She has absolutely no style.

Auntie—Redheaded, ain't she.

Grandma—I'm afeered she's flighty.

Uncle—She hasn't any money.

First Cousin Jim—She doesn't look strong.

Second Cousin Jane—She's stuck up.

Third Cousin Jezebel—She's an extravagant thing.

The Son (thoughtfully)—Well, she's got one redeeming feature anyhow.

Chorus—What's that?

The son—She hasn't a relative on earth.

Popper—Grab her, my boy, grab her.

USEFUL THINGS TO KNOW

A clam shell is better and more convenient for scraping a pot or kettle than a knife.

Keep a bottle of salad oil well corked, in a cold, dry place, and always in the dark.

If ice is applied to a burned finger until it stops smarting the skin will dry and leave no blister.

If stove polish is moistened with benzine, the blacking will last much longer and be brighter on the stove.

Fill used cans with cold water, but let them soak away from the stove, as heat makes them harder to clean.

Dissolve a little fine white sugar in the last rinsing washing fine lace, and do not use starch.

To remove a rusty screw, first apply a very hot iron to the head for a short time, then immediately use the screwdriver.

A very strong solution of alum and hot water applied to furniture and crevices in the walls will destroy vermin of all kinds.

A crust of dry bread dropped into a kettle of hot frying fat will keep it from burning until the cook can give it something else to do.

Keep a piece of newspaper scorching on the stove while frying doughnuts, and the paper smoke will drive away the unpleasant burned-lard odor from the house.

Beeswax broken in pieces and put within the folds of white woolens and silks, will overcome the tendency to yellowness that white fabrics have when laid away for any length of lime.

If a three-foot piece of inch hose is slipped tightly over the faucet of the kitchen sink, it will prove invaluable in filling boilers, tubs, teakettles, and other large or cumbersome vessels, besides saving steps and backaches.

On taking a cake from the oven, set it on a cloth wrung as dry as possible from lukewarm water. Let it stand on the cloth about five minutes, and then it can be easily removed from the tin without breaking or sticking.

When soft or rain water is not obtainable, one of the simplest methods of softening hard water is to throw orange peel into the toilet jug or the bath. Not only will the peel have a good influence upon the skin, but it will perfume the water deliciously.

Linoleum will wear longer and look better if it is given a coat of varnish three times a year. Let the varnish get very dry before walking on the floor, on the floor. When cleaning, add a little kerosene to the water; it softens the dirt and hardens the linoleum.

Line a granite dish with tomatoes and place a large bell pepper or a red pepper in the center. Cover thickly with bread crumbs, add salt and pepper, with small lumps of butter, and bake very gently. Canned tomatoes and generous dashes of red pepper may be substitnted.

When buying a lamp get one or two extra chimneys and burners; also a yard or two of wicking. This practice saves delays and annoyance, when one lives far from a store and kerosene lamps are the only kind used. If the lamps and burners are all alike, but one kind of supply need be kept on hand.

To get rid of bedbugs, first close all breaks in the wall paper, then thoroughly examine and clean the bedding. The, with a soft, small brush, which will penetrate all crevices, go over the bedstead, springs and woodwork, with a generous coating of hard oil varnish. Your bedbug troubles will be over. This same varnish is better for mending china and articles not frequently coming in contact with water than any cement, paste, or china-mending material.

A spoon rest attached to a kettle is a new device, singular as it may seem. It is made with a piece of wire so bent that it will clasp the edge of a kettle, and so shaped that a spoon may be slipped into it and removed again when needed for stirring. The device keeps the spoon from slipping into the kettle, keeps the handle of the spoon cool, and the spoon is always instantly found, which is not the case when it is removed and laid in any convention place about the kitchen when not in any convenient place about the kitchen when not in service.

In making buttonholes, a strong foundation is necessary. Leave at least half an inch margin in the cloth, at the outer end of the buttonhole, so it will not tear out. Cut to suit the size of the button. Darn around it with coarse, thread passing back and forth around the outer edge several times. Commence to work at the inner end, and buttonhole around the sides and outer edge with close, even stitches. When opposite the starting point, take two even stitches across the end, drawing the thread tight. Turn the garment, finishing on the wrong side with several stitches across the end. Use as coarse thread as the goods will allow, but do not take a double thread.

Window shades can be greatly improved in appearance by removing from the roller, stitching a new hem on the roller end with a long stitch on the sewing machine, then tack the old hem (ripped out) on the roller. If not the fortunate possessor of curtains stretchers, a good substitute is found in quilt frames. Fasten a pair of curtains at a time, pinning every scallop in place and set where the sun and wind will quickly dry.

Be sure the cellar is immaculate before cool weather arrives. After the winter supply of coal has been put in brush down all cobwebs and whitewash the walls. Sprinkle and sweep the floor, removing every bit of old wood, dirt and litter. Raise boxes or barrels that are to hold the winter vegetables off the floor by means of strips of scantling to allow circulation and keep the canned fruit well covered in a cool place.

"HE WONT DO"

By J. S. Henry

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—They have an expression in New York which is applied to a man who has been weighed in public opinion and found wanting.

They say he "won't do."

This expression is now in common use when Judge Alton B. Parker's fitness for the presidency is discussed. The verdict has been coming from all sections of the country, and it can be summed up in three words, "He won't do."

Republican leaders and friends of the Administration here have had a week to observe the effect of Judge Parker's letter of acceptance. While Democratic organs have praised it in stereotyped phrase as "able and statesmanlike" the practical Democratic campaign managers of the party have found it utterly deficient as a political text-book or a creator of enthusiasm. Reports received here from nearly every section of the country, reflecting public judgemet, are to the effect that the letter makes more pronounced than ever Judge Parker's limitations in statemanship and in the knowledge requisite in a Chief Executor of the nation.

Lacking in Candor

One of the severe criticisms made of Judge Parker's letter is lack of canidor, its quibbles and indefiniteness. Democratic politics complain that not one of the subjects dealt with has been handled in such a way as to stand the test of discussion and investigation. One of his main points was his criticism of Republican "extravagance." It did not require a week's study of the letter to convince even members of his own party that he had not been frank in his comparison of expenditures under Democratic and Republican administrations. He only took the expenditures of Mr. Cleveland's first year in office. He did not take the whole of his administration.

The official figures show that during Cleveland's first administration, when there was the check of a Republican Senate upon him, the total expenditures were $1,052,000,000, or an increase over the preceeding Republican administration of $25,000,000. In Cleveland's second administration, when he had a Democratic Senate at his back, the total expenditures were $1,441,000,000, or an increase of $389,000,000 over his first administration and $60,000,000 over the Harrison administration, which immediately preceded it. His misapplication of President McKinley's Buffalo address on reciprocity and his garble quotations from it, as exposed in "The Press," are regarded here as little short of pettifogging and utterly unworthy of an aspirant for the presidency.

The Common Law Question

Judge Parker's intended reply to President Roosevelt's denial that the common law applied to the prosecution of trusts was a quibble. If he has the legal knowledge that is attributed to him he knew that the common law only applies as between individuals in suits where there is no statutory provision of the United States Government. His adherence to the theory that common law applies is interpreted as meaning that he has no faith in the anti-trust statutes and is in harmony with the minority judges on the merger decision.

As analyzed by lawyers of standing, and as Senator Knox so brilliantly set it out, Candidate Parker's assertion, if honest, reveals an ignorance of the principles of the United States Federal law, and that he is in accord with ex-Senator Hill's plank in the New York State Democratic platform of last April, that trust matters should be relegated to the State courts according to the advice given by President Cleveland in his last presidential message to Congress.

The Pension Order

A week's discussion of Judge Parker's treatment of pension order No. 78 emphasizes the fact that he did not have the courage to declare it unconstitutional, but by implication tried to create the impression that it was. He refrained from taking into account that Congress indorsed the propriety and the legality of this order by an act appropriating money to carry it into effect.

The analysis of Judge Parker's Philippine policy, as set forth in his letter, which have been made here reveal the same nebulous and indeterminate condition of mind that he was in when he first tackled the subject, and when in his "Dear Milburn" letter he tried to explain his ideas of "self-government" and "independence" and disclosed his ignorance of the organic law of Cuba by saying that the Philippines should be free from the influence of outside Powers, just as Cuba is.

YOUTHFUL ONLOOKER WAS KILLED

DOVER, DEL., October 4th.—An old grudge which Isaac and Robert Boyer, brothers, had against George Clarke, resulted late on Saturday night in a shooting affair, in which George Hazzleton, a boy of 14, lost his life. The two Boyer boys, Elwood Wilson, Neal Dickson, George Clarke and Hazzleton lad, were at the home of Delia Hudson, two miles west of Kenton. Whisky flowed and words multiplied, until the Boyer boys began a fight with Clarke, beginning with the fists and finally taking to shooting. Elwood Wilson joined in the fracas and the Hazzleton boy, who was an onlooker, fell, mortally wounded, living but a few minutes after he fell. Clarke seeing that Boyer boys were intent on killing him drew his revolver and began shooting also.

The result of the fraces was not only the killing of Hazzleton, but the wounding of Clarke and Neal Dickson.

From the wounds inflicted it was evident that each man used a different-sized revolver, and just who killed the Hazzleton boy will not be determined until the Coroner's inquest is held and an autopsy made to locate the bullet.

Isaac Boyer and Elwood Wilson were brought here yesterday from Kenton. Robert Boyer was also brought here, while Clarke, who has made his escape, surrendered himself to the officers who brought him here also, and lodged him in jail.

Lima Hunt Meet

Horsemen are anxiously awaiting the Lima Hunt meet, which is to be held here on October 22d. There will be six interesting events.

It will be under the rules of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association. Entries will close at midnight, October 15th. The races are to start at 2 o'clock, but in case of rain will be postponed until Tuesday, October 25th. Racing colors must be worn in all events except Farmers' race. L. W. Riddle, of Glen Riddle, will be clerk.

DELAWARE NOTES

Bernard Row, of French street, Wilmington, was seriously injured by falling down a flight of steps.

About 60 delegates are attending the annual convention of the Polish Beneficial Society, which is being held in Wilmington.

While delivering a package at a house at Eighth and Monroe streets, Elmer Thompson, a 14-year-old boy, was severely bitten by a fox terrier.

For assaulting Ida Salloway, William Allen was fined $20 and costs in Wilmington City Court Monday, although the prosecuting witness did not appear against him.

The East Dover Democratic Club will hold a monster club meeting on Wednesday evening, at which time they will unfurl a large banner of Parker and Davis from their club room.

The Wilmington Water Commissioners Monday decided not to award the contracts for building the new filter until they can hold a special meeting and carefully go over the plans and bids.

Chairman Kurtz, of the New Castle County Democratic Committee, has appointed L. I. Handy, John G. Gray, T. Bayard Heisel and Charles F. Curley a committee to arrange for speakers and meetings for the campaign.

The fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Le Fevre was celebrated at the Le Fevre mansion at Rose Hill, near New Castle, on Sunday. Eleven children, 32 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren took part in the celebration.

While unloading a car of coal at the depot here Tuesday morning into the bins over the tracks, Charles Stephenson, colored, an employe of George W. Baker, of Dover, was caught in the rush of the coal and completely buried beneath the entire load. He was soon extricated, bruised and cut up, but not seriously injured.

Ralph Simpson, son of Steward Simpson, injured at the launching in the Abbott yards, in Milford, died last Friday afternoon.

Rev. Joseph B. Turner, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Dover, will celebrated the tenth anniversary of his pastorate.

CANAL TABLET INSCRIPTION

"In the abutments supporting Summit Bridge where it crosses the Delaware and Chesapeake Canal, is inserted a marble tablet with an inscription which greatly interested the canal party who visited the Delaware and Chesapeake Canal a few days ago. As the party did not have time to stop and examine the tablet there was much speculation as to the inscription carved thereon. Josiah Marvel, requested A. N. Sutton of St. Georges, to secure an exact copy of the inscription at his earlist convenience and forward the same.

"The inscription has just been received by Mr. Marvel, and is as follows:

"This tablet is erected by the proprietors of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal to commemorate its completion on the 17th of October, 1829, and to stand as a testimonial of their gratitude to James C. Fisher, President, and Thomas P. Cope, John K. Kane, Robert M. Lewis Issac C. Jones, Robert Wharton, Thomas Lassitt, John Hemphill, Ambrose White and William Platt, Directors of the Company, Secretary and Treasurer, Henry D. Gilpin, Engineer in Chief, Benjamin Wright, Engineer Resident, Daniel Livermore, Superitendent, Caleb Newbold, Jr.

"The construction of the Canal was begun on April 4th, 1824, by Silas E. Weir, the chairman of the first committee of works, whose zealous and efficient services to the company terminated with his life on the 14th day of May, 1828. He was succeeded by Robert M. Lewis under whose active supervision the work was continued and finished. In its progress through the eastern level large sections of embankment sunk 100 feet below the adjoining surface and the bottom of the excavation rose 40 feet above its natural position on the deep cut more than 375,000 cubic yards of earth slipped from the regulated slopes of the sides and passed into the chamber of the canal. These and many other difficulties having been overcome, the water was introduced on the 4th of July, 1829, and the final accomplishment of this great national work was celebrated on the 17th of October of the same year, at which time the navigation was opened.

"Length of the canal, 13 3-8 miles; width at water line, 66 feet; width at bottom, 36 feet; depth of water 10 feet; depth of excavation at summit, 76½ feet; extreme width of section at surface, 366 feet; excavation from deep cut, 3,500,000 cubic yards; length of locks, 100 feet; width of locks, 22 feet; length of Summit bridge, 247 feet; height above bottom of canal, 90 feet; total cost, $2,250,000, of which $450,000 was paid by the United States; $100,000 by the state of Pennsylvania; $50,000 by Maryland; $25,000 by Delaware; and the residue by citizens of Pennsylvania, Maryland and Delaware."
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JUDGE PARKER'S BACKBONE

"Judge Parker has gone bail for his party, not only on the gold standard, but on all other issues on which a Democratic majority in Congress would mean danger. No one would take the Democratic party with Mr. Bryan or any other man standing on the Democratic platform unanimously adopted at St. Louis. Everybody admits, Democrats as well as Republicans, that there is no safety in Democratic success unless the Democratic candidate can control his party after he is elected.

"Can Judge Parker? What is the strength of his backbone? Can he stand up against party pressure and resist a majority in his own party when there is "politics" in it? He can stand by his principles when every newspaper that he reads tells him that he must act or be beaten before he begins to run. The "gold telegram" to St. Louis shows that. "Politics" was all for the telegram. It took courage, but it was a paying kind of courage.

"How about the pressure of ordinary vote-making politics? What is Parker's backbone under that? His declaration for service pension shows what? It proves the man pliable. No one believes that Judge Parker is personally for a service pension. He is a consistent Democrat. His party has always opposed a service pension. It was not so much as mentioned in the St. Louis platform. It could not have been adopted in the St. Louis convention. By his traditions, his training, his principles, his personal temperament and the drift, texture and logic of his mind, Judge Parker was, in the nature of things, opposed to a service pension.

"But when the political pressure of a political exigency came Judge Parker yielded. He was in a tight place. President Roosevelt challenged him to say he would revoke the pension order. He had to say something and the only thing he could say was that he would revoke it.

"If he had stopped there it would have been an act of courage. But he did not stop there. He went on. He said:—

"But I go further and say that that being done, I will contribute my effort toward the enactment of a law to be passed by both House of Congress and approved by the Executive that will give an age pension without reference to disability to the surviving heroes of the Civil War."

"This is not much of a promise. A President can "contribute my effort," if he does nothing more than make a recommendation in his first message and then drop the matter. But, as it stands, this promise is made for votes. No one thinks it anything else. It is a promise made contrary to all Judge Parker's general, personal and party record.

"In it he yields to political pressure. He concedes what party exigency seems to demand. The measure of the strength of his backbone is clear. When need comes and votes must be won it gives. His backbone would be no stronger at the White House. Judge Parker would yield to political pressure and party demands there as he has in this case. If he cannot control his own utterances when he is seeking the presidency he could not control his party if he were elected. It would rule him. He would not rule his party. What the Democratic majority in Congress did he would accept. If he resisted it would only be, as in this case, a step to a more complete surrender. He would again "go further."—*Phila Press.*

A COMPROMISE

"The proposition made public by Washington Hastings, after his conference with Senator Allee, that the regular Republicans and the Union Republicans agree upon a nominee for Governor who would consent to appoint as Secretary of State a man whom the Unionist should name, has some good features. If a compromise on the ground shall be secured it will indicate that a question of barter entered into the negotiations, a condition from which the Regulars have held aloof. At the same time it must be understood that a basis is always necessary upon which to effect any agreement. If the Regulars can get a man for Governor whom they know to be steadfast and true, who has all of the embodiments of Regular Republicanism, who has strength of character and is not backward in enforcing his views, and who can be depended upon at all times, in all places and under all conditions, does it make any material difference who shall or who shall not be Secretary of State? There are Regular Republicans of this stamp. The administration of John Hunn must not be taken for an example. If he has proved himself to be pliable tool at the hands of Addicks and his followers, it does not follow that anybody else would do the same thing."—*Daily Republican.*

SASSAFRAS

Miss Alice Dreka spent several days last week with Miss Mary Walters.

Mrs. Jesse Shepherd and daughter, of Middletown, were guests of relatives here on Monday.

The pupils of the Public School seem very much pleased with their teacher Miss Anderson.

Mrs. John R. H. Price and son, of near Warwick, were guests of her sister, Mrs. John F. Ernest.

Mr. Frank Sylvester, wife and children visited her father near Kennedyville part of the past week.

Our farmers are very busy drilling wheat and cutting corn. They all anticipate a large yield of corn.

Master Masten Shallcross entertained his two friends, Masters John and Douglass Ernest, to a chestnut hunt on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert S. Griffith, Mrs. M. Bowers and Miss Ella Kirkman are making an extended visit with friends in Betterton and New York.

The quarterly distribution of the State School tax fund, amounting to over $200,000, made on Saturday, is the largest quarterly aggregate ever distributed in the state.

Mr. Augustus Dreka left on Thursday morning for Washington, D. C., to visit his daughter. After a few week's sojourn there he will then go to DeLand, Fla., where he will remain with his son until Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Phemies Jones entertained the Aid Society of the M. P. Church on Wednesday evening. After the business was transacted the company was invited to the dining-room where an elegant collation was served, consisting of ice cream, cake, fruits, etc.

CECILTON

G. G. Morgan spent Sunday with James Lusby.

Robert Anderson is having his house newly painted.

Thomas P. Jones is spending sometime at his home in town.

Miss Reynolds, of North East, is the guest of Mrs. E. N. Crawford.

William Brown began his new bakery last week. We wish him success.

Charles Rachie, of Chestertown, spent one day this week with Noble Ferguson.

Mr. Bennett and son, of Lankford, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Robert Blackway.

William Money and wife, of Townsend, were the guests of James A. Pierce and wife on Sunday.

We are pleased to report Mrs. James A. Pierce, who has been quite ill is improving at this writing.

Miss Beulah Filligan has been spending the past week with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Stephens, of Cayotte.

Miss Mary Anderson, of Still Pond, spent from Friday until Monday with her parents, Robert Anderson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Manlove and daughter, Mrs. John C. Manlove, are spending this week at Atlantic City.

Mr. J. E. France and wife and J. E. Ferguson and wife, of Chestertown, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. E. Ferguson and family.

Miss Edith D. Berry who resigned as teacher of the High School here on account of poor health, has returned home. Miss Mary Clark will fill her place for this term.

The barn, stable and all the out buildings, wheat and about 60 tons of Mr. Willam Matthews, mysteriosly caught fire on Tuesday afternoon, burning all to the ground. A sad loss, only partly insured.

WANT THE DELAWARE MILITIA

Governor Hunn has received from the War Department at Washington a communication signed by Acting Secretary of War Robert Shaw Oliver, in which is set forth the advisability of having the Delaware State Militia act in conjunction with the garrison or Forts DuPont and Delaware in the matter of coast defence, and asks assistance from the chief executive of the State.

The War Department has realized that the strength of the regular coast artillery is not sufficient to protect adequately the shore lines of the United States in time of war and a scheme has been prepared by the General Staff providing for the co-operation of the defense of the country.

"AROUND THE HILLS TO THE POOR-HOUSE"

The superintendent and trustees of Farnhurst visited the Almshouse of Chester, County, Pa., on Wednesday.

Some months ago the trustees of the Chester County home, as they call it, visited Farnhurst. The delegation left on a special trolley for Kennett Square about 9.30 A. M. The run was delightful. There we found hacks in waiting to convey us to our destination, which was seven miles away. We passed the birthplace of Bayard Taylor, the American traveler and poet. Owing to some detention we did not arrive at the almshouse untill o'clock. A splendid dinner was in waiting and as soon as the stains of travel were removed we were invited to a table loaded with good things. The most of us did ample justice to the dinner for the ride had sharpened our appetite. After dinner we went on a tour of inspection. The almshouse is large and commodious, and although built in 1855 is very modern. Every room was as clean as a new pin, and the inmates have bright and cheery quarters, and everything possible is done to make them comfortable. We then visited the insane asylum, an imposing brick structure which was completed in 1900. There we found the equipment of a modern institution. The granaries and stables were also objects of interest. They have about fifty cows which are fat and sleek. About 400 acres belongs to the institution. The superintendent and trustees accorded us every courtesy and did all in their power to make our visit pleasant and profitable. The institution and its management reflects credit upon Chester County. The trustees of New Castle were close observers and doubtless gained new ideas which will be useful to them in the future. Before we left several short speeches were made by both hosts and guests, and our visit is now a pleasant memory. Dr. C. T. Wyatt was the guest of Mr. J. C. Parker on the trip.

A GUEST.

SAULSBURY CHOSEN

In the office of Willard Saulsbury Monday the state committee of the Democratic party not and elected Mr. Saulsbury as chairman. The election was made by acclamation. It is understood that when James P. Winchester, was chosen state chairman, Mr. Saulsbury agreed to take the place if Mr. Winchester refused it, although he did not desire the position.

The committee held Mr. Saulsbury to his promise and he agreed to take the place. Many members of the committee attended, and after the meeting a session of the special committee on speakers for this county was held in the office of John G. Gray. A list of meetings and possible speakers was made out, but the list will not be published until the speakers desired have been positively secured. It is not known when the campaign of speaking will be commenced, but it is expected there will be numerous speeches, as local Democratic spell-binders are understood to be anxious for an opportunity to air their views in public. Some speakers of a national reputation will also be secured.

TOWNSEND

Edward Graves visited Philadelphia Monday.

Robert Ratledge is visiting friends in Greenwood.

Charles Porter, of Millington, spent Sunday in town.

Rev. J. H. Beauchamp, of Harrington, visited town Saturday.

Miss Daisy Wiggins was the guest of friends in Clayton over Sunday.

John Weldon, of Bellevue, was the guest of friends in town Sunday.

W. Barr Weldon, of Philadelphia, visited friends in town over Sunday.

John Montgomery, of Wilmington, is visiting relatives in and near town.

Miss Lena Staats, of Middletown, visited her home in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Slaughter, of Cecilton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Watts, this week.

Mrs. Benjamin Edwards and daughter, Naomi, are visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Beulah Hodgson who is attending school in Smyrna, spent Sunday at her home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Donovan have returned after a pleasant visit with Honston friends.

Kemp Donovan has returned home after making an extended visit near Houston.

Miss Eizabeth Dorman, of Baltimore, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Maloney.

Merrell Beauchamp, of Harrington, visited her sister, Mrs. Harmon Reynolds, on Saturday.

Mrs. John Morris, of near Smyrna, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Maggie Lee, last week.

Miss Ethelwyn Maloney, who is attending the Academy in Dover, spent Sunday at home.

Messrs. Frank and James Green, of Clayton, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. William Wright.

Miss Estella Lockerman was the guest of relatives in Wilmington and New Castle Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Hart and son George have returned to their home in Philadelphia after an extended visit in town.

Dr. and Mrs. Jacobs and children, of Millington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maloney, Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Collins has returned to Wilmington after spending sometime with her sister, Mrs. John Townsend, Sr.

Messrs. George Ingram, of Wilmington, and Elmer Ingram, of Pottsville, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ingram over Sunday.

Mr. Walter Beardsley, who has been spending sometime with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beardsley, returned to his home in Milton this week.

The creamery of George Wiggins situated on his farm about two and one-half miles from town, was burned Saturday night. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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ST. GEORGES

John Lester and wife spent part of this week in Wilmington.

Mrs. A. N. Sutton was a Philadelphia visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. C. McCoy is spending this week at Lexington, Ky.

H. C. Jacobs, of Philadelphia, was an over Sunday visitor here.

Rev. O. L. Martin and wife visited Wilmington on Monday.

J. M. Vandegrift, of Port Penn, visited C. A. Stitler on Tuesday.

Harry Straub has returned from a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

Clarence Bishop, of Philadelphia, spent several days here this week.

Mrs. Claren Brinton, of Swedesboro, N. J., spent part of this week in town.

Revival services were commenced in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening.

Edward Wise who has been in the West for seven weeks, returned home last week.

Mrs. C. A. Walker, of Milford, visited her sister, Mrs. Thomas Bird, on Wednesday.

Miss Martha Sooy, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Sara Milligan.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Milligan attended the Presbytery at Rock Church, Md., this week.

William Moore, of Middletown, was the guest of his brother, John Moore, on Monday.

Miss Anna Forehand, of Philadelphia, spent last week with W. H. Barnett and daughter.

Misses Linda Clark and Anna Elliason were guests of friends near New Castle last week.

Samuel Gray, of Seaford, was the guest of his parents, M. J. Gray and wife, on Thursday.

Thompson Lilly and wife, of Newark, visited their daughter, Miss Edna Lilly on Sunday.

I. Pritchett and wife, of Townsend, paid a visit to H. C. Buckson and family on Sunday.

Miss Sallie Gooding, of Wilmington, is spending sometime with Theodore Jones and family.

Miss Letticia Buck, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Harriett Carrow.

Miss Ida Murry and brother, of Cheate, were guests of Theodore Jones and family on Sunday.

H. T. Heisel, of Blairstown, N. J., is paying a visit to her parents, Joseph Heisel and wife.

Mrs. James White is being entertained by J. W. Carrow and family at their home near Mt. Plea ant.

Miss Olivia Paynter has returned from a several days' visit with friends at Norristown and Philadelphia.

Mrs. George Hill and children and Mrs. Margaret Jackson are on a two weeks' visit to relatives at Hockessin.

Miss Blanche Jones, of Newark, and Miss Mabel Jones, of Mt Cuba, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs Elida Jones.

J. C. Stuckert and wife are entertaining Mrs. Booter and Mrs. Johnson, of Wilmington, and Miss Minnie Holt, of New York.

Misses Anna Moore, of Wilmington, and Julia Newkirk, of Philadelphia, were over Sunday guests of John Moore and family.

Mrs. Miles Clark and her guest Miss Caroline Clark, of Delaware City, are spending this week at the home of Dr. J. C. McCoy near town.

J. W. Carrow, Jr., and wife attended a dining at the home of his parents, J. W. Carrow and wife, near Mt. Pleasant, on Tuesday, given in honor of Rev. C. T. Wyatt, D. D., and wife, of Middletown.

Miss Lucy A. Lester, of this town, and H. C. Jacobs, of Philadelphia, were quietly married at the home of her sister Mrs. J. W. Hopkins, in Wilmington, on Tuesday evening. They will reside in Philadelphia.

Don't forget the "Rummage Sale" which commences on Saturday, October 12th, in the C. C. Club House and continues one week. Supper served every night. Proceeds for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church.

Sunday promises to be a memorable day in the Presbyterian Church. After being closed for four months it will be re-opened with appropriate exercises. Rev. R. A. Davidson of Fall's Church, Va., will preach in the moning and Rev. Henry Rumer of Newark, in the evening. Several prominent speakers will be heard at the afternoon services. An elaborate musical program is being prepared and the whole day promises to be most interesting and enjoyable.

MAGAZINE NOTES

"About the best in the whole lot" of rural diversions, "and something city folks don't have is Firemen's Tournament." Eugene Wood tells about it in the October *McClure's* and he will carry a host of readers in city and country with him over a familiar road back to dear dead days, long gone but not forgotten. In the vernacular of those who make it and those who see it the author describes the Tournament with a realism that is impressively funny. The turmoil of preparation with all of the little intimate details, the coming of the crowds, the great event itself with its keen rivalry and stress of contest, the final departure and the close of a memorable day all are described, but they are a small part of the story. Its strength and humor lie in the drawn-to-life character sketches of country folk on pleasure bent. Most of us know them. Many of us have been there. For all here are pages of rare delight.

There is no truer axiom than that all real reform and progress in the world is effected by compromise. The Liquor Problem is one of the most momentous that the human race has to-day to face. Between the rigid abstinence and the believers in the doctrine of laissez-faire, Mr. John Brisben Walker comes with a remarkably well-thought-out plan of compromise, the working of which seems practical and pregnant with benefit. It is stated in an editorial in the October *Cosmopolitan.*

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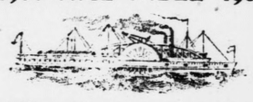

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Wed'd'y 12th 11 30 a m		Tu-sd'y 11th 6 30 p m
Friday 14th 12 30 p m		Thur'd'y 13th 7.30 p m
Mond'y 17th 2 30 p m		Saturd'y 15th 11.00 a m
Wed'd'y 19th 4.30 p m		Tuesd'y 18th 12.30 p m
Friday 21st 6 00 p m		Thur'd'y 20th 1.30 p m
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I, JOHN P. McINTYRE, owner and tenant of the house known as the Middletown Hotel, situated at Middletown, in School District No. 60 and 94 county of New Castle, and State of Delaware, in compliance with the requirements of the acts of the General Assembly in such cases made and provided, do hereby give notice that I shall apply in writing to the Court of General Sessions of the State of Delaware, in and for New Castle County, on Monday, the 21st day of November, A. D. 1904, being the next term of said Court, for a license for said house as an inn or tavern for the sale therein of intoxicating liquors in quantities less than one quart, to be drunk on the premises, and the following respectable citizens of said School District, at least six of whom are substantial freeholders of said School District, recommend the said application, viz:

Walter W. Akin,	George Echenhofer,
Paul Weber,	S. B. Foard,
John A. Fortner,	W. A. Comegys,
Eugene S. Long,	Arthur M. Crow,
George W. Peterson,	H. S. Beasten,
Joseph Gary,	S. M. Rosenberg,
Cyrus Tatman,	Alex. Maxwell,
C. R. Clayton,	G. Ellis,
J. L. Parsons,	Julian Cochran,
J. W. Isaacs,	Harry C. Aikin,
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JOHN P. McINTYRE.

Middletown, Del., Oct. 8th, 1904.

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From 1 to 4 o'clock, P. M.

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Lot 3429—$18. Men's Four-button, Single-breasted Sack Suit of brown and black mixed cheviot. Coat has seam back and centre vent. Trousers half peg. Vest with notch collar, round lapel.

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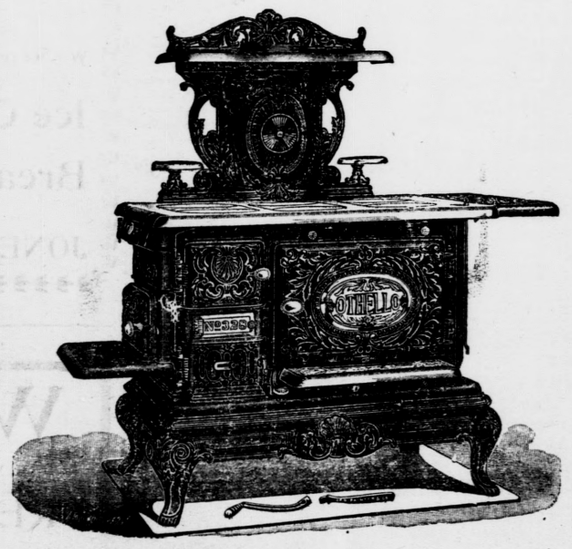

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The Middletown Transcript

Trains Leave Middletown as Follows:

North Bound—3.20, 7.48, 9.22 and 10.24 a. m; 1.55 4.17 and 5.58 p. m.
South Bound—12.36, 8.21, 9.19 and 11.38 a m; 4 18, 5.41 and 7.13 p. m.

Mails Close as Follows.

Going North—7.20 a. m., 10.05 a.m., 3.50 p.m., 5.45 p. m. and 9 p. m.
Going South—8.00 a.m., 4.15 p. m., and 9 p.m
For Odessa—7.5.0 a. m., 8.30 a. m. 11.30 a. m., 4.50 p. m.
For Warwick, Cecilton and Earlville 9.20 a, m, and 4.45 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., OCT. 8, 1904.

Local News.

Full line of Fresh Groceries at E. F. INGRAM'S.

DR. W. E. BARNARD, Surgeon Dentist, office Southeast corner of Main and Scott streets.

WANTED—50 pullets. Apply to T.R. BRADSHAW, Evergreen Farm, near Odessa.

Pure White Leghorns Cockerels for sale, $1.00 and $1.50 each. T. R. BRADSHAW, Evergreen Farm," near Odessa, Del.

Carpenters are now at work placing a new roof on the large stable at the National Hotel.

For Sale.—One pair of good large work horses. J. C. ALSTON.
Middletown Del.

There will be no Sunday School at Forest Presbyterian Churchon to-morrow.

Nearly 50 typewriters are used at Goldey College for instruction purposes.

The demented negro who had been roaming in this vicinity was captured Monday and sent to Farnhurst.

Our fresh sausage are fine. Have you tried them? If not give us a trial order today. MRS. H. C. DEVALINGER, Opera House Building.

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We have stored in our Warehouse fertilizers by bag or ton, for those who will run short in drilling. Send your teams along. JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

WANTED.—A Farm to carry on or on Thirds. Can give the best of reference. Address THOMAS L. GREEN, Middletown, Del., or this office.

After October 1st the library will be open on Tuesdays from 3.30 to 5 o'clock, P. M., and on Saturdays from 3 to 5 o'clock and 7 to 8.30 o'clock, P. M.

All persons having the checks we give on purchases at this store are requested to call during the opening days of next week and get the Premiums.
MRS. G. W. PETERSON.

Two mammoth red peppers grown by Caleb Boggs & Son, the Cheswold nurserymen were left at our office on Wednesday, and have been greatly admired by passersby.

I have purchased a horse and wagon, and in a few days will begin taking orders and delivering oysters and candy throughout the town. Wholesale and retail. PAUL WEBER.

WANTED.—Hustling young man to sell Campaign Novelty. Big profits. Send 25 cents for sample and prices. Money refunded if unsatisfactory.
LEWIS MANUFACTURING Co.,
Newark, N. J.

MRS. G. W. PETERSON will display her Fall Millinery on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, Call and inspect the up-to-date styles and fine work of a competent Miliner from the city.

The winter uniforms of the employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad were donned Saturday morning. The blue caps succeed the white duck ones. The only other difference is the weight of the blue uniform.

W. Reese Parker, administrator for the estate of Henry C. DeValinger, will offer at public sale at the Middletown Hotel, today, at three o'clock, all the real estate of the deceased, consisting of three dwelling houses and other properties situated in this town.

The creamery owned and operated by George Wiggins, on his farm, near Townsend, was burned to the ground Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins were away from home at the time, and it is not known how the fire originated. The loss is $3,600, and the insurance $1,500.

The growers of Kiefer pears found by experience that the pears that were blown off by the storm, and afterwards picked up and placed in baskets, would not keep. They commenced to rot, and those who had them were glad to sell at any price. Those on the trees will keep for a month yet.

The ladies of Forest Presbyterian Church are holding a Rummage Sale in the store room adjoining the residence of Mrs. W. H. Houston, on East Main street In addition to the large and varied assortment of wares usually to be secured at Rumage Sales, pies, cakes and candies of a high grade will be offered at attractive prices. The sale will continue today and this evening.

While returning from work on Thursday evening Mr. I. T. Wilson met with a painful accident. He was seated in his wagon with one of his men, and in turning the corner at Broad and Lake streets, the seat gave way, throwing Mr. Wilson heavily to the ground. Those who saw the accident picked him up, and carried him to his home. In the fall he bruised his face badly and injured his back, but fortunately no bones were broken and although he is quite sore and is confined to his room, he expects to be out in a few days.

All the outbuildings consisting of a barrack, granery and stable on a farm owned by former Clerk of the Peace William P. Biggs, in Sassafras Neck, near Earleville, Cecil County, Md., were totally destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. The farm was tenanted by a Mr. Mathews. Mr. Biggs received a telephone message Tuesday night merely stating that all of the buildings on the farm except the dwelling were burned. The origin of the fire is not known. The loss is partly covered by insurance. All the live stock was gotten out. In addition to the buildings all of the contents consisting of forty tons of hay, seed wheat and some phosphate were also burned. Fortunately the wheat crop had been delivered.

I have purchased a horse and wagon, and in a few days will begin taking orders and delivering oysters and candy throughout the town. Wholesale and retail. PAUL WEBER.

We have a large and complete stock of Shoes at very low prices. Ladies' Shoes from 98 cents up; Children's Shoes from 15 cents up; Checks given on all sales. MRS. G. W. PETERSON.

Unclaimed Letters—The following list of letters remain unclaimed in the post office for the week ending September 29th: Mrs. Ida Benson, Mrs. R. C. Cochran, Mrs. Ellen Jenkins, Mrs. W. R. Manlove, Mrs. Carrie Perkins, Miss T. Smith, Calvin Mitchel, James Corsey, M. M. Purnell.

Miss Julia Lockwood entertained the Luncheon Club at her home near Warwick Tuesday afternoon. A four course luncheon was served, and was much enjoyed. Those present were Miss Clara Willits, Miss Helen Cochran, Miss Helen Brady, Miss Esther Shallcross, Miss Susie Foard, Miss Grace Parvis, Miss Emma Lusby, Miss Marie Lockwood, Miss Blanche Lockwood and Miss Julia Lockwood.

The motive power of the Delaware division of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has been increased by the addition of another of the big locomotives known as the E 2 A type. The engine has four driving wheels with trailers under the cab and a four wheel pony truck. This type of locomotive is the largest used on the Pennsylvania lines. They are used on all the divisions of the company except the Maryland division.

The signs of muskrat architectural achievements can now be seen on the marshes. They are now preparing for the winter, and the trapper watches their work with considerable interest, and predicts a good season. The furs will no doubt bring a good price again this year. Fur buyers claim that the Russian army for fur is the cause of the good prices. Japan will no doubt have a corner on the fur market in the near future.

Mrs. Albert Price entertained a number of her lady friends Wednesday evening at flinch, which was thoroughly enjoyed by those present, among whom were: Miss Louise Echenhofer, of Philadelphia; Mrs. C. J. Freeman, Mrs Theodore Leonhardt, Mrs. W. C. Elison, Mrs. John Jolls, Mrs. Earl Goldsborough, and Misses Bernice Metten, Elizabeth Shepherd, Lily M. Scott, Lena Pleasanton, Lena V. Staats and Ethel Gill. Ice cream and cake were served.

The "Mother Goose" entertainment, at the Opera House, on Friday evening last, under the auspices of the Primary Department of Bethesda M.E.Sunday School was a success. The program was well rendered, Mother Goose and her family taking their parts admirably. Misses Eva Atkins and Nora Armstrong sang a duet, while Miss Atkins gave two solos. About $22 was netted, allowing the ladies in charge to pay off the amount still due on their organ, and also to purchase some new singing books for that department. The ladies extend thanks to all who so willingly rendered their assistance in helping to make this entertainment a success.

Some capitalists are to go over the territory between Delaware City and Odessa next week, with a view to considering a proposition to build a trolley road connecting the Wilmington, New Castle & Southern and Middletown & Odessa roads. Just when this road is to be built is not known. In fact, no definite arrangements have been made as yet, but it is belived this will mark the beginning of a definite movement. Whether either of the companies mentioned is interested could not be ascertained. With this link in operation, after the completion of the Middletown & Cecilton road, Cecil county would have connection with Wilmington and Philadelphia, by trolley, via the Delaware City route.

The general reports from all over the county are very gratifying about the corn crop. The average state of the weather during the summer has certainly been favorable to its growth. During the earlier and critical growth period of the season there was an abundance of moisture and a coolness in temperature which permitted the plant to get a good, vigorous start. As a consequence, the yield, so far as the visible evidences would indicate, has been exceptionally large. Some of the farmers who failed to cut prior to the recent severe storm, have been handicapped somewhat by the fact that their corn was laid flat on the ground by the violence of the wind. The misfortune, however, did not affect the condition of the ear. Many who have examined their shocks report fine, large, full ears, with sound solid grain. That seems to verify the belief that the yield will be materially above the average. There are some cases reported of where the fodder seems to be superabundant, without commensurate development of the ear. These cases are exceptional, however, and will play but small part in making up the general average of the year's yield.

CHURCH NOTES

Rev. C. T. Wyatt, pastor, will preach in Bethesda M. E. Church to-morrow, both morning and evening. Morning theme: "Elisha heals the unwholesome waters." Evening theme: "Lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven."

Bethesda Epworth League meets in the lecture room of the M. E. Church every Sunday evening at 6.45 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "Helping One Another." Rom. 25:1-7. Leader Miss Kathryn B. VanSant.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor of Forest Presbyterian Church, meets every Sunday evening at 6.45 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "Helping one another." Rom 15:1-7. (An honorary members' meeting) Leader, Miss Bessie Anderson.

Rev. Corkran Moved to Philadelphia

Rev. Wilbur F. Corkran, a former pastor of the Fritz Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, of Bethlehem, Pa., who was suspended by the Wilmington Conference for one year a few months ago, after at trial on charges of dealing in the stock market, and who has resided in the church parsonage since then, moved his family to Philadelphia where he has accepted a position. Rev. Rowland Garber, of Philadelphia, who succeeded him as pastor, will occupy the $20,000 parsonage after his marriage, which will take place this week.

PERSONALITIES

Mr. Charles DeValinger, of Lewes, was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Shepherd returned from Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Mr. William Greenwood spent Sunday at his home in Chestertown, Md.

Mrs. Merritt N. Willits was the guest of relatives in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. M. B. Nichols, of Easton, Md., paid our office a brief visit on Tuesday.

Mr. Edgar Boggs, of Cheswold, was the guest of friends in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. P. Cullen has returned after a three weeks' visit with Milford relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Howell have returned home after visiting relatives in Smyrna.

Miss Louise Echenhofer, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert L. Price.

Mr. Thomas McWhorter has taken up his studies at Pierce's Business School, Philadelphia.

Mrs. T. S. Fouracre and son Claude were guests of relatives in Wilmington on Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Anderson and nephew, Master Charles Kelly, were in Philadelphia part of this week.

Dr. Robert A. Comegys, of Smyrna, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Comegys, over Sunday.

Miss Florence Gill has accepted the position as stenographer in the office of J. L. Shepherd, Miss Myrtle Berry, resigned.

Mr. Harry S. Beasten has accepted a position in the grocery store of W. T. Connellee, and entered upon his new duties on Monday.

Mrs. E. Willits Pharo and children have returned to their home in Philadelphia after spending the Summer with her parents near town.

"Mr. Ernest Solway, of this town, and Miss Helen Clay, of Elkton, Md., are to be married next Monday morning in Elkton."—*Dover Index.*

ROLLS OF HONOR

The following pupils of Middletown Public Schools have obtained an average of 90 per cent., or over for the month of September:

HIGH SCHOOL

Grade A—Anna Denny, Josephine Cochran, Helen Davis, Mary Gill, Harvey Voehell, Victor Jones, Ernest Sirman.

Grade B—Emily Allee, Helen Rowe, Nevada Alrich, Ida Armstrong, Daisy Bendler, Isaac Gibbs.

Grade C—Ada Scott, Frances Johnson, Jean Metten, Lydia Dockety, Nellie Armstrong, Edith Shallcross, Clara Duryea, Reece Darlington, Florence Bloome.

DEPARTMENT NO. 2

Benjamin Gibbs, Mary Beaston, Iola Buehm, Mary Richards, Eleanor Davis, Fannie McCrone, Helen Biggs, Elsie Boulden, Sophia Blome, Harold Wilson.

DEPARTMENT NO. 3

Nellie Pyle, George Hukill, Lena Weber, Roy Jolls, Leah Alper, Emma Minner, Joseph Griffith, Leah Berkman, Bennie Denny, Deliah Muehlberg, Earl Whitlock, Maude Taylor, Ruby Whitlock.

DEPARTMENT NO. 4

Helen McDowell, Hannah Kirk, Elsie Minner, Estella Johnson, Frank Richards, Elsie Fowler, Laura Connellee, Lilly Scott, Kendall McDowell, Medford Johnson, Holmes Burke, James Walker, Irene Reed.

DEPARTMENT NO. 5

Alice Boulden, Myrtle Whitlock, Sarah Kates, Charlotte Peverley, Lemont Jones, Tim Hukill, Albert Rhodes, Frank Tyson, John Dickinson, Frances Beasten, Artie Scott, Jessie Shepherd, Edith Eliason, Beulah Whitlock, Cinderella Whitlock, Clifford Pyle, Perth Johnson, Albert Jolls, Bruce Whitlock.

DR. BROWN IS MODERATOR

The fall meeting of the New Castle Presbytery which has been in session in Rock Presbyterian Church near Fair Hill, Md., closed Wednesday night. A popular meeting was held when addresses were made by the Rev. Joel S. Gillfillan, of Newark, and the Rev. F. W. Williams, of Lewes.

During the session Rev. Dr. W. J. Rowan, pastor of the Newark Presbyterian Church, was elected moderator to fill out the unexpired term of the Rev. J. M. Bull, of Georgetown, Md., who was recently transferred to a church at Stewartstown, Pa.

Quite a discussion arose when the Rev. Robert A. Elwood, pastor of Olivet Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, brought forth the fact that the Rev. T. A. McCurdy, of Central Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. J. L. McElmoyle, of Elkton, had appolnted themselves members of the board of trustees of the New Castle Presbytery and also chairman of all the important committees.

In making his charges Mr. Elwood referred to Drs. McCurdy and McElmoyle as "modern Alphonse and Gaston" and said their action in appointing themselves on all the important committees was an insult to the capable members who have been placed on insignificant committees.

CHARGED WITH CONSTABLE MURDER

ELKTON, MD., Oct. 6th.—Upon information furnished by State's Attorney J. Wilson Squier, warrants were sworn out yesterday by Henry H. Gilpin, justice of the peace, charging John Holland and William Kopps, negroes, with the murder of Albert Constable, the lawyer, who was waylaid, robbed and fatally shot on the evening of August 18th last.

While both Holland and Hopps were held on suspicion of having a knowledge of the crime, they were not held on warrants, but only as witnesses. The move made to-day by the authorities in swearing out warrants charging them with the crime is taken as an indication that a case is being made out. Senator Henry M. McCullough, it is understood, has been retained by the negroes to look after their interests.

Wilmington Conference

Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Annual Conference will hold its next session in Grace M. E. Church, Wilmington, probably beginning on Wednesday, March 16th. The date for conference has not been definitely settled, but where it will be held was decided upon at a recent meeting of the presiding elders of the conference. The date for the conference is fixed by the bishops, who will hold their meeting in New Haven, Conn., on October 26th. At that time the bishops arrange for all the annual conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States.

ODESSA

Miss Martha Townsend has returned from a visit in Wilmington.

Mrs. A. E. Appleton is entertaining Mrs. J. Hanley, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. George E Rhodes and sons were Philadelphia visitors part of last week.

Miss Emma B. Eccles spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. J. Neal and son, of Syracuse, N. Y., spent last week with her sister, Mrs. R. L. Hallet.

Miss Catharine Whittock returned Monday from a two week's visit with relatives in Greenville.

Mrs. J. A. Arters, of Crumpton, spent a few days last week with her son, Rev. J. M. Arters at the M. E. Parsonage.

In the absence of the pastor the St. Pauls M. E. pulpit will be supplied Sunday, both morning and evening, by Rev. Mr. Burdette, of Smyrna.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Arters and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong left Wednesday for St. Louis were they expect to spend about two weeks at the exosition.

The W. H. M. S. held a meeting at the the home of Mrs. J. L. Enos on Wednesday evening. Mrs. N. M. Brown, of Wilmington, was present and gave a very interesting talk.

On Sunday morning the congregation of Drawyer's Presbyterian Church will unite with the St. Georges Presbyterian Church in their reopening services. In the evening services will be held as usual.

On Tuesday evening of last week Mr. L. V. Aspril gave a trolley ride to the "Solicitors Union" of this town. They left here on the 7.30 o'clock trolley. On arriving in Middletown they visited the restaurant of Jones & Bradley, where they were bountifully served with ice cream cake. They arrived home about 9.30 P. M., after having a delightful time. The "Solicitors Union" was composed of Mr. L. V. Aspril, Rev. and J. M. Arters, Mrs. H. Vandegrift, Mrs. Frank Davis, Miss Annie Reynolds, Mrs. Joseph M. Armstrong, Misses Emma B. Eccles, Nellie Stevens, Minnie Armstrong, and Mrs. Joseph A. Arters, of Crumpton, Md.

WARWICK

Miss Helen Eaton is at Odessa, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. M. Garner spent Tuesday in Millington.

Rev. Frank S. Cain is holding his revival services in Salem M. P. Church.

There will be Junior Christain Endeavor prayer meeting to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mass at St. Francis Xavier R. C. Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Charles A. Crowley pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Spear will celebrate the 18th anniversary of their daughter by a party on Monday evening from 8 to 12 o'clock.

St. Francis Xavier R. C. Church has been very much improved on the exterior by the erection of a porch. The Bishop's room on the interior has been remodeled and presents a very neat appearance.

A negro supposed to be demented entered the home of Mr. Louis P. King last Friday evening and said he was going to stay all night, but Mr. King was not very long making him leave the premises.

Hon. William James Heapes, State President of P. O. S. of A. will visit Washington Camp, No. 8, P. O. S. of A., Wednesday evening, October 22d. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Several horses were stolen from Middletown last Saturday night and one or two of them came to Warwick. Mr. William H. Merritt was aroused from his sleep by one of them and came down stairs and found it at his hitching post.

TOWN'S THIRD DEVASTATION

For the third time within twelve years, Berlin, Md., was visited by a disastrous fire last Saturday which originated in a large veneering mill opposite the Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington station. The flames spread to the lumber mill of Thomas Whaley, and before it was gotten under control the fire had destroyed the sawmill of Louis Dill, the Presbyterian and Episcopal Churches, the Methodist Episcopal parsonage and sixteen residences.

The principal losers are John W. Derrickson, Mrs. Elizabeth Derrickson, Horace Davis, Washington Bennett, George Taylor, John Gibbs, Roger Adams, Thomas Tingle, Riley Ennis, A. T. Chantz, Noah Bradford, Frank Johnson, George Rayne. The residence of Dr. Derrickson was saved, but all of his barns, outbuildings and fences were destroyed. The Park Hotel caught fire several times, but was saved. The total loss is $75,000.

Though Berlin has 3,000 population it is without fire protections, excepting a bucket brigade. In the fire ten year ago the residence section of town was destroyed and two years ago the busines section was destoyed.

VISIT PENNSYLVANIA

The New Castle County Trustees of the Poor were guests of the Chester county, Pennsylvania trustees on Wednesday at the institution at Embreeville. The trustees left Wilmington about 9.30 o'clock in a special trolley car over the People's railway, in which they proceeded to Kennett Square. Leaving the car there they were driven to West Chester, where they boarded another special trolley car for Embreeville.

After a big dinner at the Pennsylvania institution the Delaware visitors were shown over the house and grounds. Those who took the trip were Superintendent Blackburn, President of the Board; Dr. Columbus Henry, Robert McFarlin, George W. Roberts, William J. Turner, Joseph C. Parker, S. Frank Stirling, E. L. Rice, Isaac S. Bullock, Z. T. Harris, W. G. Knotts, James Polk, E. L. Clark and Dr. John Ball. The visitors include Senator L. Heisler Ball, the Rev. C. T. Wyatt, Middletown, and Joseph Bond. Senator Ball joined the party at Brandywine Springs and Dr. Ball at Hockessin.

World's Fair Excursion

Low-rate ten-day coach excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad, October 5, 12, 19, and 26. Rate, $18.50 from Middletown. Train leaves Middletown at 9.22 A. M., connecting with special train from New York arriving St. Louis 4.15 P. M. next day.

NEW CASTLE PROHIBITIONISTS

New Castle county Prohibitionists made it plain at their county convention Saturday that no matter what members of their party in other parts of the State may do, they are seeking no alliance with any one and they are going "straight down the line" with their own ticket. Notwithstanding the advice of R. M. Cooper, the State chairman, and the Rev. Robert Watt, who think it would not be advisable to nominate candidates for legislative offices at this time, the party in convention in Wilmington on Saturday decided it would be best to name a full ticket as far as possible. It was finally decided it would be best to put a full ticket in the field and especially in those districts in which there had been active work by the State Temperance Alliance in getting signature for the local option pledge, and where there was a probability of either of the other parties being able to elect members of the Legislature who were in favor of submitting the local option vote to the people. The state committee was authorized to fill all vacancies. The Prohibition ticket named Saturday follows: Prothonotary, Charles E. Wilson; Clerk of the Peace, Nathan W. Bard; Sheriff, Joseph Derrickson; Receiver of Taxes, D. B. Maloney of Townsend; Comptroller, W. Atwood Weldin of Newport; Coroner, Edwin A. Webb. Levy Courtmen, First district, Nathaniel S. Taylor; second, Andrew M. Price; third, Issac S. Tally; fourth, Richard Fisher, of Ashland; fifth, J. Herbert Mole of Newark; sixth, Alexander Deakyne. Senators, Second district, William E. Shumar; fourth district, James Harkness. Representatives, First district, William E. Nichols; second, A. Clinton Bostick; third, James A. Dougherty; fifth Alexander Andereon; sixth, Charles P. Weldin; seventh, William H. Wingate; eighth, David A. Cornbrooks. County Committeemen, Richard W. Brown, chairman; L. W. Brosius, secretary; Geo. A. Rhoades, treasurer; Rev. Joel S. Gilfillan and Leonard V. Aspril.

ADDICKS LOSES PLANT

WILMINGTON, DEL., Oct. 6th.—Failure of J. Edward Addicks to meet a $2500 judgment against his Oxy-Hydrogen Gas Company, of Wilmington, into which it is understood about $120,000 has gone in the dozen years since it was organized, has ended in loss of the property. Some two months ago the company was forced to Sheriff's sale under the judgement which covered arrears of city taxes.

"Lawyer Hillis, acting for the Wilmington Gas and Electric Company, which is controlled by John and James Dobson, of Philadelphia, bought the Addicks property. Upon representations of counsel for the gasman that cash was forthcoming to settle the judgement, confirmation of the sale was postponed by the court.

The money failed to materialize, and on Wednesday the Sheriff made out a deed of sale to Hillis. That has been confirmed by the court, and the properties and franchises were turned over to the Wilmington Gas and Electric Company.

"Knowledge of these facts, indicating the boss' lack of cash, has caused consternation among the Addicksites, and proposals have been made by them to go in and support the entire ticket of the "regular" Republicans. Such support is pledged upon condition that the Addicks party shall be permitted to name the Secretary of State. So far the "regulars" have refused to make any deal.—*Phila North American.*

CURRENT PRICES

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JOHN W. JOLLS.

Wheat—No. 1	$1.06	Corn—	
No. 2	1.03	Yellow, shelled	60
Timothy Seed	$2.65	" cob	62
Clover Seed lb	10½c	Oats	54

MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY W. T. CONNELLEE.

Eggs, per doz	20@22
Country Butter, per lb	19@23
Creamery Butter, per lb	28
Lard, per lb	8@10
Live Chickens, per lb	12@15
Potatoes, per basket	25@35

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Made of wax calf and box calf, made without seams for hard wear and fully warranted.

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A fine dress shoe, that has style and wear. No better shoe can be had at this price, often sold at $2.00. Try a pair for your boy.

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"We cannot—that is the worst of it! And I feel just as unhappy as you at having to stay in Chris's house when we have to treat him so. But I have promised not to leave until your papa's return, and he is to settle everything."

"Then, mamma," Kilmeny said, "I must arrange so that I shall not see Chris again. Please do not say any more about it, and let me go away by myself. Do any of the others know?" she asked suddenly.

"No one knows anything about it but you, and I hoped that you might not hear of it until papa's return. If you like, darling, I will tell you the whole story now that you know something. I can fancy what a shock any whisper of it must have been to you."

"I don't want to hear it," Kilmeny said, rising. "What I know is quite enough. I think, mamma, I will lie down for a little while, and please don't let anybody in."

She went away without waiting for her mother to speak. If she could only escape anywhere! If she need not continue living in Chris's house, where everything reminded her of him! Last night's scenes, which the shock of the morning had driven from her mind, came back on her with a sense of longing. She might find oblivion there for the pain which she was experiencing. She did not care for Lady Penryth's insolence or for any humiliation which might await her if only she could get away. A knock at her door roused her after a long time, and a note was thrust under it.

She went to pick it up. It was in Mrs. Richmond's writing, and contained these words—

"Mr. Daryl's carriage is waiting outside, and you are to go in it to see him. He has something important to say to you. I am not to speak to you before you leave. May Heaven watch over and protect my darling!"

Kilmeny threw down the letter and ran out. She met the old servant in the hall.

"Where is mamma?" she cried.

"She went away a good while ago. She told me not to disturb you until she had gone, and that when the carriage came I was to give you the letter."

"Gone! How could mamma go without me? Who has been here to-day?"

"Mr. Daryl was with the mistress for a long time. But you need not ask me anything, miss. I never saw such goings on since I came into the family, and that was just after Miss Jessica was born. Mr. Christopher never comes to the house now, and you are taken up with Mr. Daryl and his fine friends, and the mistress crying her eyes out whenever nobody is looking. And now she and the children are all gone off home, leaving me to pack up and follow, without me knowing what anything means. But you, Miss Kilmeny—you can go to Mr. Daryl's and enjoy yourself, and not trouble your head what becomes of any of us."

"As if I could enjoy anything without them all!" cried Kilmeny indignantly. "You know that is impossible, Hannah. Oh, if there was only some one to tell me what it means! Why did mamma go away, and why am I left behind without a word? Tell me, Hannah; you know more than you say! Tell me what has happened!"

"I know no more than you indeed, Miss Kilmeny! Your mamma said you were to go to Mr. Daryl's, and he would tell you everything."

Outside the horses were stamping, and the coachman was looking in curiously and impatiently. Kilmeny glanced round the empty house, where her voice and Hannah's already went echoing through the silent passage. Everything was indeed changed, and nothing was left to her but Mr. Daryl, whose acquaintance she had wilfully chosen. She turned away from Hannah and went back to her own room.

Presently she returned with her hat on. She hugged Hannah silently and went out, looking very proud. The footman ran to open the carriage door, the coachman touched his hat, and they were off.

Kilmeny's bearing was just as proud when she went up the steps of the gloomy gray house which she had once so much longed to enter. Her eyes were dry and bright.

There was a footman waiting who requested Miss Richmond to see his master in his own room, and she followed him. He took her to a part of the house where she had never been before, and ushered her into a splendid apartment in which the master of the house was seated, waiting impatiently. As Kilmeny's eyes fell on him, she experienced a revulsion of feeling. He looked so shrivelled and cynical as he sat there waiting for her, and there was such an evil gleam in his eyes, that she wished she had never seen him. He smiled, but the smile failed to brighten his face as he held out his hand to her.

"I hope Mrs. Richmond told you nothing further?" he said abruptly. "How any one guessed my secret I am at a loss to know; but, as you know something and other people have found out more, nothing remains but for the rest to be published. Sit down; have you any name but that outlandish one?"

"I have no name but Kilmeny. And, if you please, I would rather not hear any more of the story you speak of."

"Nonsense!" he cried sharply. "You have left your old life behind, and you must forget all those people who brought you up. You belong to me—not them! They were paid for what they did, and they have done with you. It is not fit that my granddaughter and heiress should be mixed up with people who are merely respectable and nothing more."

"Your granddaughter!" Kilmeny cried. "What can you mean? Doctor Richmond is my father; and he is nothing to me! I do not know what you are talking about!"

"Then you did not hear the story? What can that woman have been thinking of?"

"If you mean my mother, Mrs. Richmond—"

"I do not your mother! Sit down; I have to tell you will take some time, though I shall make it as short as possible. It is not exactly the kind of thing one cares to dwell on."

Kilmeny obeyed. Everything seemed to be reeling round her in the shock of what had just been told.

"The story you heard from that young man Warrender the first time I saw you was substantially true," Mr. Daryl began. "My family certainly were never what might be called straight-laced people. They went down, one by one, until only my son was left. He was the worst of them all. He gambled, betted, drank, committed every wickedness you have ever heard of, and some, doubtless, which were not spoken of in Doctor Richmond's family. Finally, when he had ruined himself body and soul, he came home to die.

"When that event took place he sent for me, and told me that he had privately married some girl whom he described as good and innocent. If she were so, that very innocence killed her. He got tired of her, as he got tired of everything, and to rid himself of her and her child he told her that his marriage to her was a sham, as he had another wife living, and he deserted her. The shock killed her; but the child lived—my heiress and the only descendant remaining to me. He gave me proofs of his marriage, and told me where the child was to be found, and then he died.

"I kept his confession a secret, and I resolved never to acknowledge his child. Still, I wished that she should be brought up respectably. Chance had thrown me into contact, of the briefest and most professional sort, with a Doctor Richmond, a young and struggling practitioner. I had seen his wife, and I had heard that they had no children. I bought his present practice in his name, and I sent him the papers making it his along with the child, who was secretly conveyed to his house. Accompanying her I sent a letter stating that she was born in lawful wedlock, but that her relatives wished, for urgent reasons, to rid themselves forever of all responsibility concerning her. I stated that the practice which I had bought for him would be taken from him unless he consented to adopt the child as his own, and never let it be known that such was not the case. I said that she should never be sought after or reclaimed, and that only one person in the world except themselves knew the truth about her.

"I did all this with the utmost secrecy. I gave Doctor Richmond no option. There was no clue by which he could discover my name or the family of the child. The child herself was pretty and winning, I believe. He and his wife accepted the charge. They removed at once to Redminster, where everyone took it for granted that the baby with them was their own. When I found that they had done so, I made no further inquiries, and lost sight of them completely. I was unaware that young Warrender had any connection with them, or that there was any chance of meeting them again.

"When I found out who you were, I changed my mind about you. It was not likely that, brought up as you had been, you would have your father's tendencies. I determined to know more of you, and you seemed inclined to make that easy. Still, I should not have acknowledged the relationship in which you stood to me so soon but for some gossip which I heard this morning concerning what people are pleased to call my 'infatuation' for you. I did not choose that my granddaughter's position should be misunderstood, and I determined to proclaim it to the world. I drove over when Lady Penryth left me to see Mrs. Richmond.

"The arrangement between us had been that nothing was to be said openly until Doctor Richmond's return, but that I was to have every opportunity of seeing you in the meantime. I found however that some story had come to your ears last night, doubtless again through Lady Penryth's kind offices, so I made my decision. I directed Mrs. Richmond and her family to return home, and that, when they were gone, you were to be sent to me here."

Mr. Daryl looked keenly at Kilmeny's face as he finished, in order to mark the surprise and exultation which the knowledge of her new prospects would awaken in her. He thought that what he had revealed to her had probably been too much for her, she looked so strange and pale.

"Did you meet mamma on the evening when we dined at Mr. Warrender's?" she asked.

"I did not meet 'mamma' anywhere," he answered, frowning. "I met Mrs. Richmond that evening and gave her her instructions. Do not consider yourself under any obligation to her. She and Doctor Richmond were well paid for anything they ever did for you. Your connection with them has ceased. Also I do not intend you to have any more to do with that fellow Warrender. He is not a fit person for you to know. You are no longer Doctor Richmond's child; you are Miss Daryl, my granddaughter and heiress."

Still Kilmeny did not answer, and Mr. Daryl went on after a pause.

"As to the ridiculous name which Mrs. Richmond saw fit to give you, that must be dropped. I have looked into the marriage register of your parents, and I find that your mother's name was Nina. It will do as well as any other. You shall be Nina Daryl henceforth. Kilmeny Richmond has ceased to exist."

"Yes—I see that," the girl answered with an odd laugh. "I have no choice, I suppose? I must stay?

"You do not want any choice, do you? You do not want to be a doctor's daughter, running about the country in company with any one who chooses to invite you, mixing with middle-class people, looked down upon by your equals, and living on charity in the house of a man whom you ought not to associate with? I said that the reason why I decided to acknowledge you was on account of the gossip which I heard this morning. I had another reason as well as this. I wanted to separate you from Warrender. He has had the presumption to lift his eyes to my granddaughter. He shall see that she is not for him. Do you understand this?"

"Oh, yes—I understand it!" Kilmeny cried. "I understood that much before! But for that, do you think I should be here? Lady Penryth took pains to enlighten everybody—she and Lord de Bruyne."

"Do not concern yourself about Lady Penryth. I paid her to introduce you into society, and, since she failed to do it as I wished, I shall take the thing into my own hands. As to Lord de Bruyne—"

He glanced sharply at Kilmeny. Lady Penryth had repeated to him her conviction that a nameless and questionable person like Kilmeny could never really expect anything but attentions which were insulting from a man of Lord de Bruyne's station, and he had resolved at once to execute his great *coup*, and raise his granddaughter to a position of equality with the guests whom he had summoned to meet her.

"As for Lord de Bruyne," he repeated, looking at Kilmeny, "you yourself shall decide regarding him."

"I will try it for a month," she said abruptly. "I will stay here and have nothing to do with any one in my past life. I will write to mamma, telling nothing but the bare fact, and asking her not to write. I will promise you for that month not to be Kilmeny Richmond but only Nina Daryl. At the end of the month——"

"At the end of the month you will still be my granddaughter," he said, with a suspicion of threatening in his voice. "You belong to me. You are not of age, and can make no choice. I have your career marked out for you, and I intend you to be different from those who went before you. All the rest disgraced me, and ruined themselves. You shall be different."

He glanced at her with a look of pride and possession, and Kilmeny rose.

"I belong to you for a month," she said; "then I shall choose."

CHAPTER VI

The announcement of Miss Richmond's relationship to Mr. Daryl caused an immense sensation, and she at once became the rage among the people who had before despised her. Every one called on her, and every one declared that she was charming. Her romantic story was freely discussed, but not before Miss Daryl herself. She always put an end to that if it was attempted, and forbade any allusion to her past life. She took her place with a nonchalance that amazed everybody, and people discovered that she was setting the fashion, not following it. Lady Penryth found herself very much *de trop* when she visited the young heiress, and the offers of companionship and countenance which she hastened to make were decidedly declined.

There was a dinner party one evening, and Kilmeny sat opposite to her grandfather, taking her place as mistress of the house. Mr. Daryl never omitted an invitation to Lady Penryth, and she never failed to accept it. His brotherly attentions were made solely with a view to see her "put down" by his granddaughter. Lord de Bruyne was close beside her, as he always was. Everybody knew that he was Miss Daryl's suitor.

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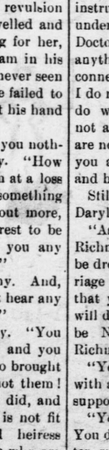

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"n" Connections to and from Baltimore and Washington made via Porter.

‖ Daily. ‖ Daily except Sunday.

"d" Stops to discharge passengers.

"e" Stops on signal to receive passengers for Maryland Division via Porter or for Wilmington and beyond.

"f" Stops only on notice to conductor or agent or on signal.

"h" Stops to let off passengers from points north of Wilmington and from points on Maryland Division via Porter.

"l" Stops to take on passengers for Cape Charles and beyond.

"p" Stops to leave passengers from Middletown and points south.

"r" Stops to leave passengers from New York Division.

BRANCH ROADS.

DELAWARE, MARYLAND & VIRGINIA R. R. Leave Harrington for Franklin City and way stations 10.35 a m 5.50 p m week days. Returning train leaves Franklin City 6.00 a. m. and 12.01 p. m. week days.

Leave Franklin City for Chincoteague (via steamer) 1.24 and 3.33 p m. week days Returning leave Chincoteague 10.45 a. m., and 5.30 p. m., week-days.

Leave Harrington for Georgetown and Lewes 10.35 a. m., 5.50 p. m., week days Returning, leave Lewes 8.45 a m and 1.36 p m week-days

Leave Harrington for Rehoboth 10 35 a m and 5.50 p m. Returning, leave Rehoboth 6 33 m, and 1 24 p m week-days.

Leave Harrington for Berlin, 10 35 a. m. and 5.50 p m. week days. Returning, leave Berlin 6.56 a m and 12.56 p. m. week days.

Leave Porter for Delaware City 9 00 a m 12 45 3 31, 4 38 and 6 21 p m week-days. Returning, leave Delaware City 7 55, 9 10, and 10 28 a m, and 3 15 and 5 58 p m week-days.

Leave Massey for Chestertown and way stations 9.59 a. m. and 5.18 p. m. week-days Returning, leave Chestertown 7.18 a. m. and 2.35 p. m, week-days.

QUEEN ANNE & KENT R. R.—Leave Townsend for Centreville and way stations 9 30 a. m., and 4.44 p. m., week days Returning, leave Centreville 7.46 a. m. and 2.35 p.m., week-days.

DELAWARE & CHESAPEAKE R. R.—Leave Clayton for Oxford and way stations 9.45 a. m. and 6 58 p. m., week days Returning, leave Oxford 6.45 a. m., and 1 47 p. m., week-days.

CAMBRIDGE & SEAFORD R. R.—Leave Seaford for Cambridge and intermediate stations 11.09 a. m. and 6.24 p. m. week-days. Returning, leave Cambridge 7.00 a.m. and 3.33 p. m. week-days.

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